

SRI G. H. ASWATHA REDDY (Minister of State for Power).—

- (a) Yes.
- (b) Yes.
- (c) Yes. The site was visited though not exclusively in the context of examining the feasibility of the Hydel Project.
- (d) This is being verified.
- (e) The technical and economic considerations of taking up mini-hydel projects are under examination and a technical group has been set up for this purpose.

Allotment of Sites in Balagere Village of Varthur Hobli

214 SRI B. V. RAMACHANDRA REDDY (Varthur).—Will the Minister for Housing and Urban Development be pleased to state :—

- (a) the total number of families in Balagere village (out of them, the number of families belonging to Backward Class, Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes);
- (b) the number of sites allotted in Balagere village so far and the basis on which they have been allotted, out of them, the number of sites allotted to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Backward Class communities ;
- (c) the number of sites that are still to be allotted to the persons belonging to backward Class and Scheduled Castes on the above mentioned grounds ; whether survey has been conducted in this regard ;
- (d) the number and details of Government servants who have been allotted sites in this village though they are owning lands ?

SRI DHARAM SINGH (Minister for Housing and Urban Development).—

- (a) The total number of families 345. The number of families belonging to Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes 86.
- (b) 28 sites have been given to the persons belonging to Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes as per Government Order No. DPC 15 DRH 72 dated 13-5-1972. Backward Communities have not been given sites.
- (c) Survey has been conducted. Out of this 22 sites to Backward Communities and 39 sites to Scheduled Castes may have to be given.
- (d) As per the records, no sites have been given to the Government servants.